He Tells Senator Kern He Is Wilful Twister of Truth.

ATTACKS

Governor of West Virginia Aroused by Stories Told of His State.

Charleston, W. Va., May 4—Governor Henry D. Hatfield, of West Virginia, in a statement to-night, attacked Senator John W. Kern, of Indiana, who to-mortow is Avantable to Discounting and the statement to high the statement to-night attacked Senator John W. Kern, of Indiana, who to-mortow is Avantable to Discounting and the statement to be should John W. Kern, of Indiana, who to-mortow is expected to bring up a resolution which he introduced some time ago in the United States Senate, providing for Federal investigation of conditions in the West Virginia coal fields. The Governor declares the Senator has been misinformed; that the coal strike is over; that he intends to arrest any person aiding and abetting lawlessness, and that he coal strike is and that he coal strike is core; that he intends to arrest any person aiding and abetting lawlessness. son aiding and abetting lawlessness, and that he courts a thorough investi-gation. In his statement Governor

relative to peenage, I wish to say that his allegation is a fabrication out of the whole cloth. Mrs. Jones is not now. whole cloth. Airs Jones is not now, nor has she at any time since her arrest, been in prison. She is being detained (and is not in any way confined) at a pleasant boarding house, with a private family, on the banks of the Kanawha River, at Pratt, W. Ya.

I do not intend to permit Mrs. Jone "I do not intend to permit Mrs. Jones or any other person to come into West Virginia and make inflammatory speeches that have a tendency to produce rlot and bloodshed, such as was experienced under the administration of Governor Glasscock. We have evidence the background of the company of t dence in abundance to prove that the class of speeches made by Mrs. Jones and her coworkers did bring about a riotous state, which resulted in murder and the destruction of property. We have a dozen of the same class of people confined in different jails of the State, some of them guilty of murder, others guilty of aiding and abetting by furnishing the necessary firearms and ammunition with which to commit

The honorable body of which Senator Kern is a member has a perfect right to investigate West Virginia or any part of it. I shall be delighted to e such an investigation and will my best efforts to aid the investigation committee in any way I can am responsible to the people of West Virginia for the maintenance of law and order, and it will be maintained by me during my term of office at any mzard, and when it becomes necessary purpose, it will be done unhesitatingly.
"The long-drawn-out strike on Paint

and Cabin Creeks is at an end. Fewer than fifty people are to-day without work in that section, and before the middle of the week every one will have been cared for. "Such twisters of the truth as Sena-

tor Kern seem to be largely responsi-ble for these falsehoods and misrepresentations which work untold hardships upon those in office who have due respect for law and order, and who

Peking, May 4.—President Yuan Shi Kai has issued a manifesto warning the people that although he has refained up to the present from employing military force against plotters in the hope that conspiraces would cease, he will not permit conspirators in the future to stir up trouble. He expresses the hope that after the next presses of office.

Otis Skinner Will Recover.

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Mr. Bryan smiled much and talked freely on any subject broached expect one. He would make no statement whatever on any topic connected directly or indirectly with the Jap-

"Berry's for Clothes."



The artist has it "one" the world.

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"Our policy toward China is set forth in the Chinese exclusion law. We cannot afford for one moment to discriminate in favor of another Asiatic

O. H. Derry la

Washington, May 4.-Admiral Brummet of Washington society, to sent.

As to the probable nature of the American Navy, are

As to the probable nature of the accomplication, Bryan gave no intimation.

us Dewey grays and made them famous Dewey grays and made them his own. This soft, almost cream, gray has been for years reserved for Admiral Dewey's special wear, but, alas, President Wilson, perhaps innocently, has adopted it, and all Washington walts to see what Admiral

JAPAN WILL MAKE FORMAL DEMAND uch as makes us laughable in the facof the civilized world.

Must Not Play Favorites.
"We cannot afford to play favorites between nations if we are to maintain an independent government and

retain the respect of the remainder of

tailor does—that is neces-officials of the Japanese embassy that all plans for an adjustment of the Hattleld says:

"I am informed that Senator Kern his made a statement that peonage exists in West Virginia and that Mrs. Mary ("Mother") Jones has been on trial before a drumhead military court for the past thirty days.

"In reply to the Senator Kern his we sell you must be a perfect fit—you can't buy it if it isn't!

See how safe it is to trade

See how safe it is to trade

Senator Kern his made a statement of the controversy except by arbitration have failed to meet with favor. Both there and at the State Department Secretary Bryan's mission is conceded to have been a failure. As a result, the future Wilson-Bryan policy is being awaited with interest by the Senate.

No Word From Bryan. [Special to The Times-Dispach.] Sacramento, Cal., May 4.—"What does

Secretary Bryan think about it now?" is the question which members of the the question which members of the Legislature have been asking each other to-day in discussing the passage of the antialien land bill by the Assembly at last night's session. sembly at last night's session.

But if Mr. Bryan has any thoughts upon the subject he has not seen fit to communicate them to the Legisla-

ture. No word has come from him to the Governor's office, nor to any others in authority since he departed yester-ARE LOUANGER has been action, and has sent the work washington, but the wires to Sacramento have carried no message from the secretary. Governor Johnson today reiterated his decision that he will not affix his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his decision that he will not affix his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson today reiterated his decision that he will not affix his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Mr. Bryan told the Governor Johnson to a readvising that an attitude of cambers of the will not affix his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches Washington. Washington was a readvising that an attitude of cambers of the will not affix his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches was a readvising that an attitude of cambers of the will not affix his signature to the bill until a reasonable time after Bryan reaches was a readvising that an attitude of cambers of the will not affix his signature to the bill until until the present situation. Such men as Baron Sibusawa and Chairman Nakano, of the Tokyo ernor that he might have a communi-cation to send from the President be-fore the bill is signed, and asked that George Dewey, the hero of Maniia Bay, is fearful that the laurels of the Beau talk it over with the President, and

to be snatched away from him by no communication, Bryan gave no intimaless a person than the commander-in-tion, and the Governor does not know the of the navy, President Woodrow what President Wilson may have to what President Wilson may have to say. It is not believed, however, that either the President or the Secretary of State will do more than make a mild protest at the executive action, nor with his faultless get-up of becoming grays and browns, has put the admiral on his mettle.

The gallant sea dog could stand the onslaught were it not for the fact that the President has captured the famous Dewey grays and made them his own. This saft allowed to say. It is not believed, however, that either the President will do more than make a mild protest at the executive action, nor that they will endeavor to persuade the Governor not to sign the bill. The vote of both houses was so decisive as an enunciation of California's policy in the matter of restricting land ownership that it is hardly likely the national administration will utter anything beyond a perfunctory disapproval.

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Mr. Bryan smiled much and talked freely on any subject broached except one. He would make no statement whatever on any topic connected directly or indirectly with the Japanese controversy. His smile and unvarying good nature and his active interest in a multitude of personal and local matters did not seem to be the reflection of the state of mind of a knowledge of the imminence of war died here to-night. He was sixty-two years old Secretary of State burdened with the

Joseph Scott, a member of the recep-tion committee, thanked the secretary it his warmest brogue for the twist he gave the British lion's tail in his St. Patrick's Day speech. That re-minder of the stubbing of his toe drew

from Bryan this defense "I had a good precedent for that.
When I was defeated in my first race for the presidency, Lord Salisbury, Premier of Great Britain, congratulated the United States that it was saved to civilization. If that was not a dip-lomatic offense, surely I might be permitted to say the things I said at Chicago."

The secretary came by way of Los The secretary came by way of Los Angeles to meet here his son, William Jennings Bryan, Jr., his wife and their two little daughters, Mary Sholes Bryan, aged three years, and Helen Virginia Bryan, elghteen months of age. They have been in Tucson, Ariz., on account of the ill health of Mrs.

on account of the ill health of Mrs.
Bryan, and they arrived here an hour before the secretary to accompany him back to Tueson.

His Return Awaited.

(Ispecial to The Times-Dispatch, Washington, May 5.—Reticence will be the policy of the State Department and President regarding the California antialien land question until the return of Secretary of State Bryan on Thursday, it was announced to-day.

On Secretary Bryan's return, however, a Cabinet meeting probably will be called and the matter thoroughly threshed out. Governor Johnson's intimation that he will grant the President pienty of time to file another observed. dent plenty of time to file another ob- | nable book to expectant mothers,

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jection or suggestions before finally placing his signature to the Webb ineasure is taken to mean here that the administration will take advantage of the offer to make still other representations to California.

It was also expected to-day the Japanese, through the Japanese ambassador, Viscount Chinda, will make formal protest against the measure as soon as

protest against the measure as soon as a copy of the Webb bill is received. The reference of these protests to the courts was indicated to-night as the probable course of the administration.

Instructed to Protest.

San Francisco, Cal., May 4.—A cable-gram from Tokyo to the Japanese-American, a Japanese daily paper of this city, states that the Japanese gov-crament cabled instructions to Baron Chinda, Japanese ambassador at Washington, last night to make formal protest against the alien land bill enacted by the California Legislature and now awaiting Governor Johnson's signature. The message adds that the position taken by the Japanese government is that the United States government is that the United States government is responsible for the finding of a satisfactory solution of the situation in California, under its treaty obligations to Indian Manwhile, news from Southern Albania is of the gravest import. Anarchy prevails, according to this information, in many sections, and the solders of in many sections, and the solders of in many sections, and Diavid Pasha are

the people were deeply disappointed.

Efforts Appreciated.

Tokyo, May 4.—The Japenese press to-day expressed a general appreciation of the efforts of President Wilson in behalf of a land bill in California that would be unobjectionable to the Japanese.

discriminatory measures of legislation. They declare that every effort must now be made to discover and eradicate now be made to discover and eradicate
the root of antagonism to the Japanese
in California, in order that amicable
relations may be restored.
While the Japanese newspapers voice
these same sentiments, they blame the
government for what they term a "failure of diplomacy."

ire of diplomacy." dispatches received from

Washington telling of reported plans for the mobilization of the Japanese havy are read here with ridicule by those best informed on naval plans.

## ASHLAND NEWS NOTES

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Ashland, Va., May 4.—Miss Louise Miller was the recent guest of the Misses Hoofnagle.

Mrs. Hoofnagle.

Mrs. John Segar, of Lewiston, is visiting her sister. Mrs. Josie Wright.

The Young Ladies' Literary Club had a very interesting program on Thursday. Mrs. Hall Canter gave a sketch of Dostand and the club read "Cyrano." The current events was led by Miss Mary Hawes Tyler.

Mrs. W. J. Leake is in Louisville, Ky., visiting her son and daughter-inlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bierne.

Henry Mullins has returned to Randolph-Macon, after a visit to his home in Martinsville.

Randolph Taylor has sold his farm, "Hickory Bottom," and gone to Philadelphia, where he will engage in business.

Robert Marye, of Norfolk was bore George Augustus Cavendish-Renti grandson of the third Duke of Port-

ciety, Sons of the American Revolution, of which Mr. Moore was president, sent a delegation to the funeral. The Fifteenth Regimental Association, of which Mr. Moore was a member, sent a delegation consisting of R. E. Tiller, A. L. Lumsden, Joseph Thomas, A. M. Lyon, Colonel John Murphy, Scott Gibbs, John E. Parrish, George F. Keesee, A. E. Branner, Jr., J. B. Lacy and C. A. Richardson. ical Condition.

London, May 4.—The Duchess of Connaught, wife of the former Governor-General of Canada, spent a restless day, and her condition to-night is worse day, and her condition to-night is worse than at any time since the list operation was performed upon her. The physicians announced this evening that there has been practically no improvement whatever on any topic connected directly or indirectly with the Jap-C. A. Richardson.

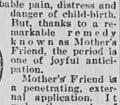
Mrs. John M. Fraley.

Dr. P. J. Timmins Dead. Boston, May 4.—Dr. P. J. Timmins, a member of the national executive committee of the United Irish League. and prominent in the work of Irish

## band and one daughter, Miss Lela Fra-ley, and one sister, Mrs. George M. Burgess, of Washington, and two brothers, S. R. Browning, of Culpeper, and John Browning, of Richmond. Funeral services Monday afternoon from the Presbyterian Church, and in-terment will be at the Masonic Cem-Stork and Cupid **Gunning Plotters**

[Special to The Times-Dispach.] Alexandria, Va., May 4—Funeral services for John A. Marshall, who died yesterday, will be held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning from his home. The services at the granually. There is some dread in every woman's mind as to the probable pain, distress and danger of child-birth.

But, thanks to a remarkable remedy k nown as Mother's Eriend, the period is Friend, the period is one of joyful antici-



BEHLE—Died, at his residence, 1012 West Franklin Street, Saturday night at 9:50 o'clock, after a short illness, LOUIS A. BEHLE, aged sixty-five years.
Funeral THIS (Monday) AFTER-NOON at 3 o'clock from the residence. Interment in Hollywood. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. makes the muscles of

EBEL.—Died, at her residence, 1613
West Grace Street, on May 3, at 11:15
P. M., MRS. GERTRUDE BBEL, wife
of Jacob Ebel.
Funeral from St. John's German
Evangelical Church MONDAY, May 5,
at 5 P. M. Friends and acquaintances
are respectfully invited to attend,
Baltimore papers please copy.

Funeral of John A. Marshall.

HANDCOCK—Died, May 4, at 5:30 P.
M., at her home, \$21 Richolson Street,
MRS. ANNIE ELIZABETH HANDCOCK, aged thirty-two years, wife
of Ira L. Handcock. She leaves seven
children and four sisters.
Funeral from Fulton Baptist
Church TUESDAY AFTERNOON at
2:30 o'clock, Interment in Oakwood.

Are You a Professional or Business MAN OR? Your life is too short, and time too occupied to satisfy your SOUL'S

Actual military operations are expected to begin within the next few days.

Russia Is Alarmed. St. Petersburg, May 4.—Rumors of Austro-Italian interference in Albania

have been received here with skepti-cism. Now, however, it is realized that the fate of Albania involves a deeper

Only Way to Avoid War.
Romo, May 4.—Strenuous efforts are being made at Cettinje to induce Mon-

tenegro to agree before the meeting of the ambassadors at London to-mor-

ognized as King of Albania.

lishment of order.

Bologna army corps.

point peace plenipotentiaries

of the Albanians are said to be g Italiang intervention for the re-

eparations have been made to dis-

General Nava is now in command of

Porte Submits.

London, May 4.—A Times dispatch from Constantinople says that the Porte has replied, accepting the powers' invitation to cease hostilities and ap-

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# News of Petersburg

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Petersburg, Va., May 4.
All day yesterday and up to nearly triple entente—Great Britain, Prance and Russia, particularly Russia—are and a cipal primary—the largest number by hundreds known since the poll tax re-quirement became a law. Many of the new voters are young men who have Essad Pasha, it is known that special emissaries have been sent out by the Porte with the object of having Essad lately become of age. The municipal campaign has been, and still is, one of extreme activity. Personal issues have become involved, some feeling has been shown, and friends of all the candidates have been interested in in-Preparations have been made to disputch a large expedition, if that should be necessary. General Nava, who participated in all the African campaigns and commanded a regiment at the battle of Adowa in 1836, has been designated as commander of the expedition. ducing citizens to qualify and vote.

PREPARING "WHITE WAY."

Sixty Are Lights Soon to Be Placed on Sycamore Street.

The conversion of Sycamore Street from Old to Halifax Street into a "White Way" will soon be an accomplished fact. Sixty are lights—that is, about forty in addition to those now in use—will illumine the street. They will be above to the street of the street will be above to the street of the street of the street will be above. poles, thirty feet high, which will su-percede the present unsightly wooden poles. The overhead telegraph wires are to be removed and placed in con-duits. Overhanging signs and oldfashioned awning frames are to be removed, so as not to interfere with the light, and the entire appearance of the street is to be changed and im- lily, by little Miss Mary Evelya Rob

His Only Son.

London, May 4.—Sir Tatton Sykes died to-day in his eighty-eighth year. His vast estates in Yorkshire, 34,000 acres, now descend to his only son, Licutenant-Colonel Mark Sykes, who served with distinction in the Sant then we The new poles were manufactured by the Virginia Railway and Power Company here, and the work of installing them will be begun within a few days. It is expected that the new system will be installed by the early part of June, and the progressive business people of Petersburg will then have what they have long desired.

TO MEE known in the United States, to which they have made frequent visits. Lady Sykes, who died in 1912, was the eld-est daughter of the Right Honorable

CHURCH OPENINGS.

High Street M. E. Edifice Reopened

TAKES POISON TO END LIFE.

Well-Known Lynchburg Man Commits

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lynchburg, Va., May 4—C. G. Offterdinger, Sr., aged sixty-eight years, the head of a well-known Lynchburg family, committed suicide at his home some time last night being found dead this morning. After taking a dose of strychnine, Mr. Offterdinger turned on the gas in his room and retired. When his body was found to-day his family up to that time was under the impression that he went to Washington last night be on Stand.

Flood Is on Stand Flood In Ed. Church was preached by presiding fifer completion o

PLANNING FOR GETTYSBURG.

Camps All Over Virginia Will Send Large Delegations.

[Special to The Times-Dispach.]

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Culpeper, Va., May 4.—Died at her residence, the Waverly Hotel, in Culpeper to-day, Mrs. John M. Fraley, after a short illness, aged forty-nine years. She is survived by her husband and one dampter, Miss Lela Frathe great peace celebration at Gettys-burg, but Major-General Stith Bolling, mmanding the Virginia Division, I ommanding the Virginia Division, U. Petersburg Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will consider matters were the State that the convenient that over the State that the camps in the division are arranging to send large delegations. Counties are appropriatdelegations. Countes are appropriation in money to bear the traveling expenses, and Petersburg will be asked to do or to aid in doing so for its soldiers. It is expected that over 100 been spent in developing the Wainut been spent in developing the South band and one daughter, Miss Lela Fraveterans will go from Petersburg.

DIED IN COLUMBUS, GA.

James Smith, Formerly of Petersburg, Passes Suddenly,

Phone County 3204.

A telegram received this morning brought announcement of the sudder death last night at his home in Co-

of Petersburg, and widely connected in this city and Dinwiddle County. Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, of this city, is his sister, and he is survived by a number of near relatives in Peters-

MILES OF GOOD ROAD.

burg and vicinity.

Convict; System Used to Advantage in Dinwiddle County.

Many miles of good roads have been built in Dinwiddle County with the convict system, and the work is still rapid progress. Convict camps are in rapid progress. Convict camps are
to be established in the counties of
Brunswick and Lunenburg for road
building there. Work on the permanent improvement of the historic old
Jerusalem Plank Road, in Prince
George County, for a distance of five
or six miles out from Petersburg, is
to be begun next work under the dior six miles out from Petersburg, is to be begun next week under the di-rection of an engineer of the State Highway Commission. The money for this work is furnished jointly by the State and county, supplemented by contributions from citizens of the county and of Petersburg.

WEDDING IN CHESTERFIELD.

A pretty wedding was celebrated Wednesday afternoon at Chestnut Ridge," Chesterfield County, the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Robertson, when The new poles were manufactured by tired in white lingerie, with white ribbons. The bride wore a blue traveling suit, and carried bride roses and lilles of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left for the West on their

TO MEET IN PRINCE GEORGE.

Members of Farmers' Unions to Hear Sandy and Farrar.

T. O. Sandy and F. S. Farrar will ddress the farmers of Prince George address the farmers of Prince George at a meeting to be held next Tues-

purpose of the company is to manufacture brick, building stone and paving blocks. The plant is at the granite quarry owned by Mr. Atwood, at Burgess, on the Scaboard Air Line Rail-Petersburg will not only send a dele-gation of its Confederate veterans to way, in Dinwiddie County.

> of interest at a meeting to be held to-Transactions in real estate the past

General News Notes.

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